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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 1770**

**PATENT
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Sadayuki Shoudai et al.
Application No. : 10/790,313
Filed : March 1, 2004
For : MAGNETIC TAPE AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING
THE SAME

Examiner : Louis V. Falasco
Art Unit : 1773
Docket No. : 891050.401
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Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Final Office Action dated November 29, 2006, please extend the period of time for response one month, to expire on March 29, 2007. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and an electronic fee transmittal with the requisite fee. Please consider the following remarks.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.